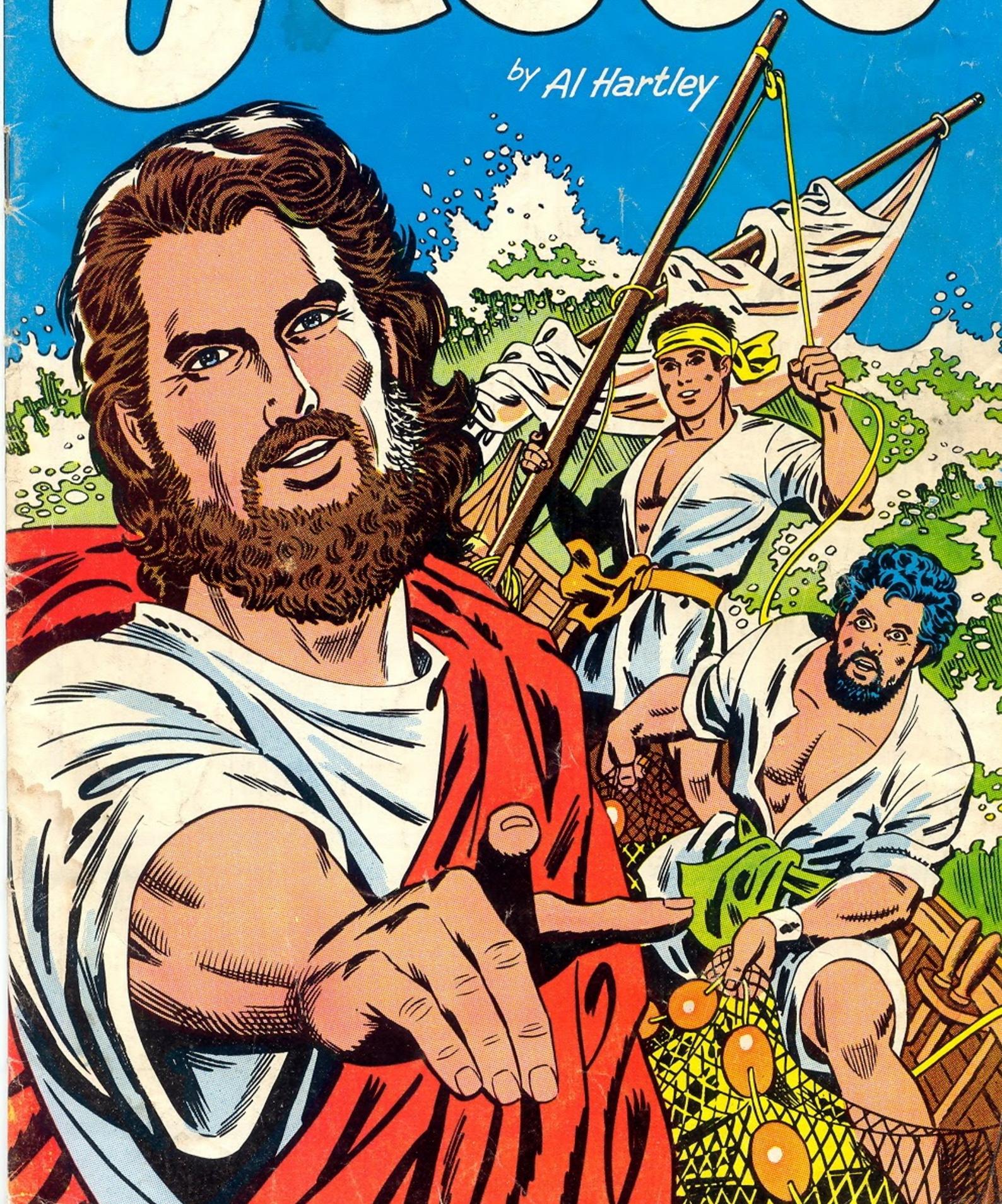


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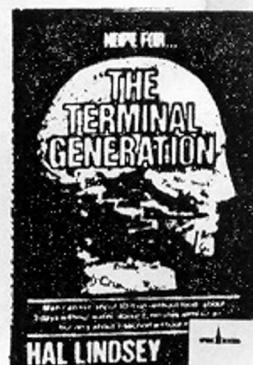
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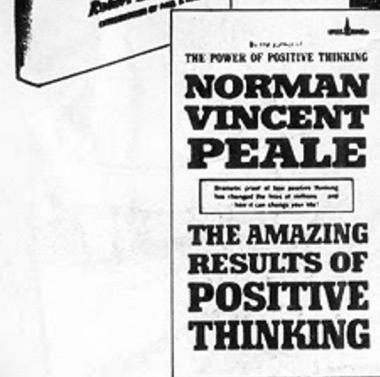


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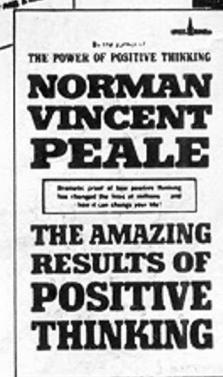


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JESUS WAS WITH GOD!

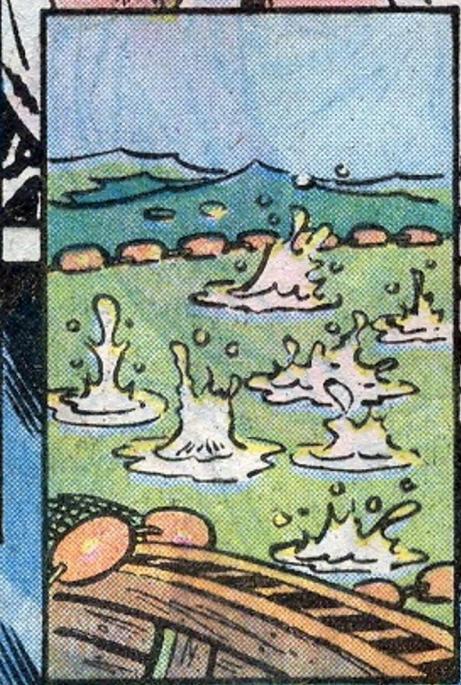
LET
DOWN YOUR
NETS FOR A
CATCH
!!!

ALL POWER
WAS GIVEN TO HIM
IN HEAVEN!

AND HE
BROUGHT THAT
POWER DOWN
TO EARTH!

WE'VE
TRIED ALL NIGHT
AND CAUGHT
NOTHING
!!!

BUT
WE'LL DO
AS YOU SAY!



THIS
HAPPENED
BECAUSE WE
OBEYED
HIM
!!!



MASTER
!!!

I'M NOT
WORTHY
OF THIS
!!!

TURN
FROM YOUR
OLD WAYS
!!!

FOLLOW
ME!

I WILL
MAKE YOU
FISHERS OF
MEN
!!!

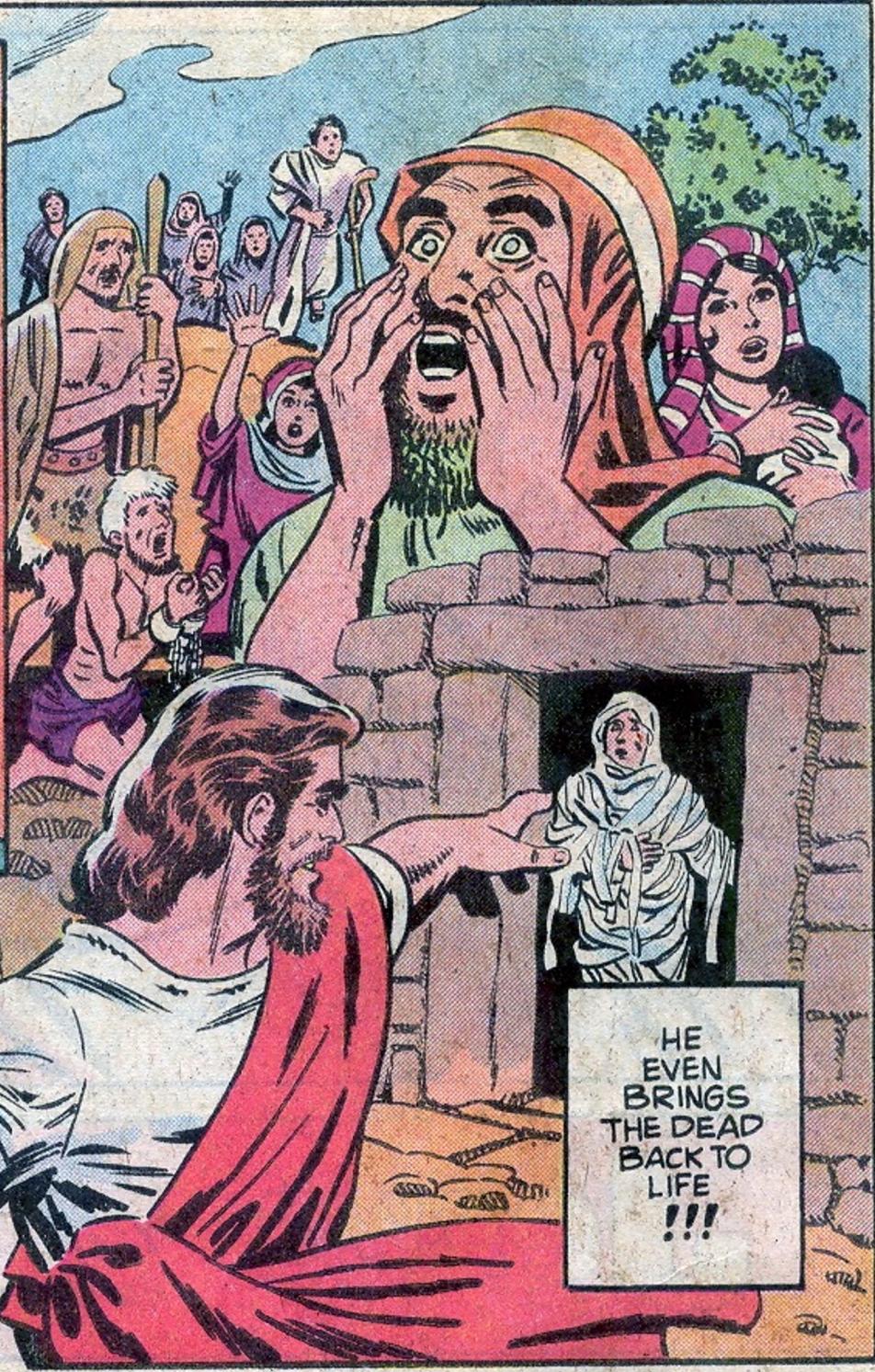
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WHO IS THIS
JESUS OF NAZARETH
WHO LEADS MEN
IN NEW
WAYS
???

HE DOES
THINGS OUR
RELIGIOUS LEADERS
CANNOT DO!

JESUS
HEALS
BODIES AND
SPIRITS
!!!



PEOPLE
WILL BE
FALLING
AT HIS
FEET
!!!

PERHAPS
!!!

BUT HE
BRINGS A
STORM UPON
HIS HEAD!

YES! THE
RELIGIOUS
LEADERS ARE A
JEALOUS
LOT!



A STORM
BREWS
!!!

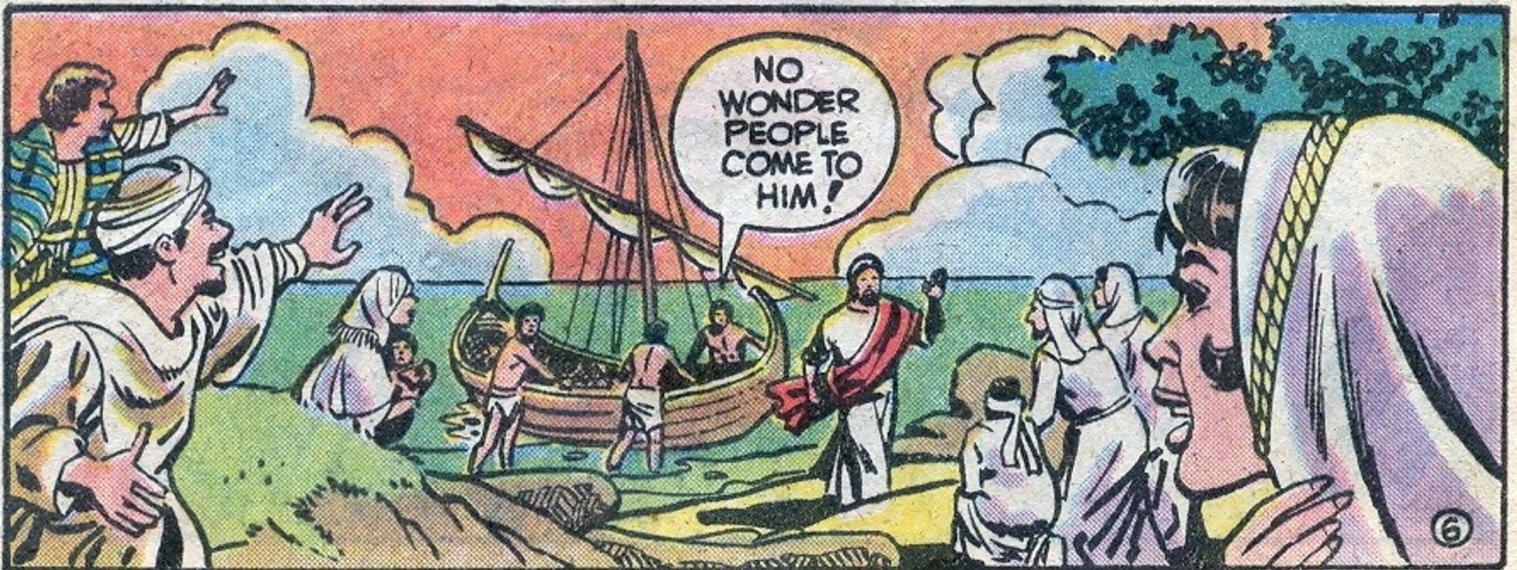
IT'S
FULL OF
FURY
!!!

MASTER
!!!

WAKE
UP!

WE'RE
ALL GOING TO
DROWN
!!!

DON'T
BE
AFRAID
!!!
TRUST
ME!



BLESSED
ARE THE PURE
IN HEART--

BLESSED
ARE THE
PEACEMAKERS--

MASTER,
IT'S GETTING
DARK-- THESE
PEOPLE
MUST GO TO
THE VILLAGE
FOR FOOD!

THEY
DON'T
HAVE TO
LEAVE--
**YOU
CAN
FEED
THEM!**

TREAT
OTHERS
THE WAY YOU
WANT THEM
TO TREAT
YOU!

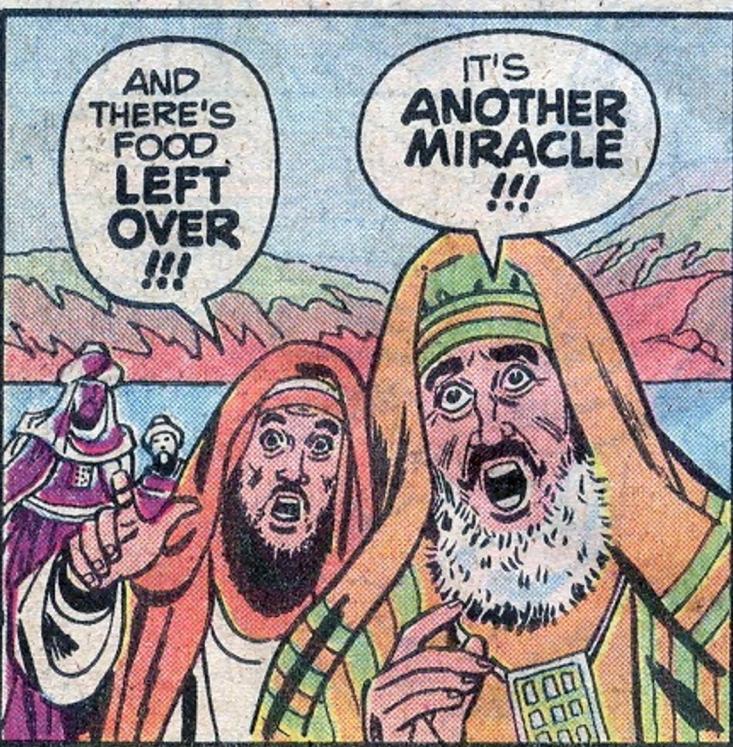
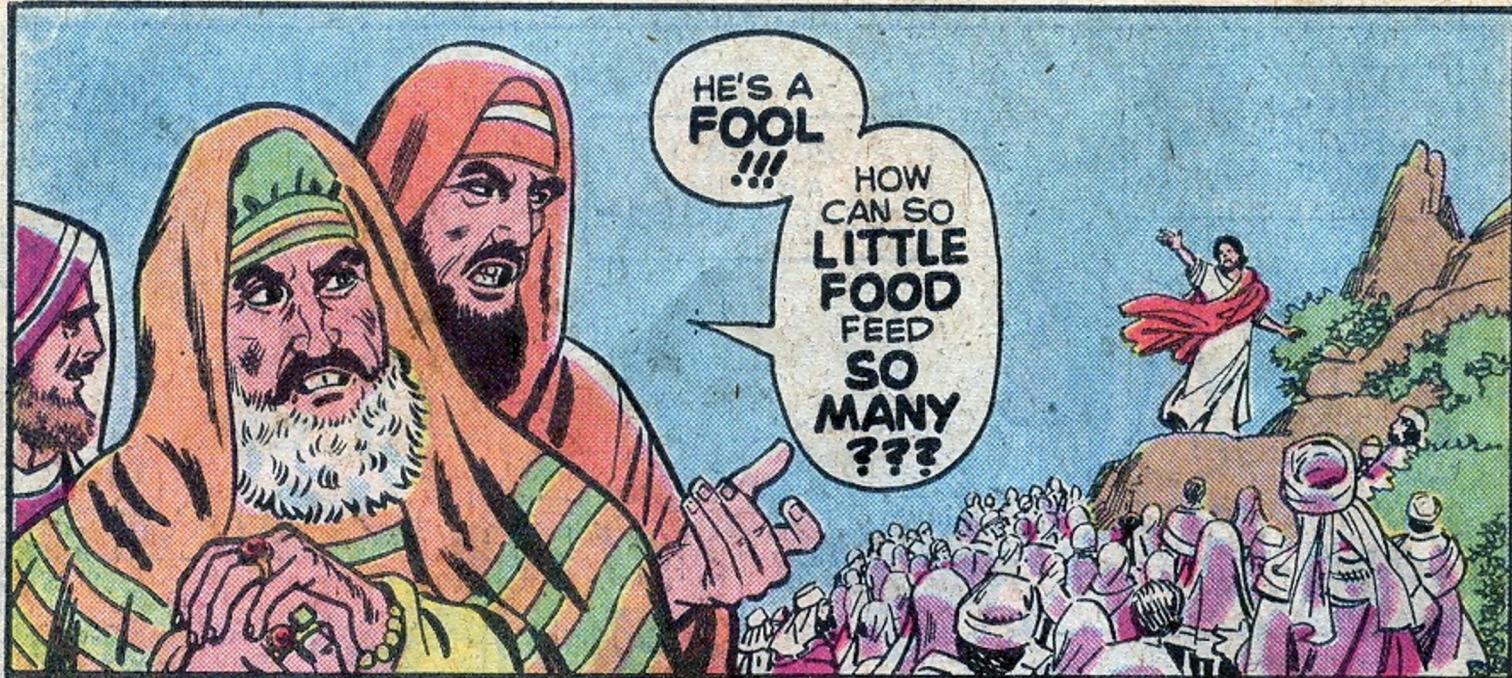
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HAVE
ONLY
FIVE
LOAVES
OF
BREAD
!!!

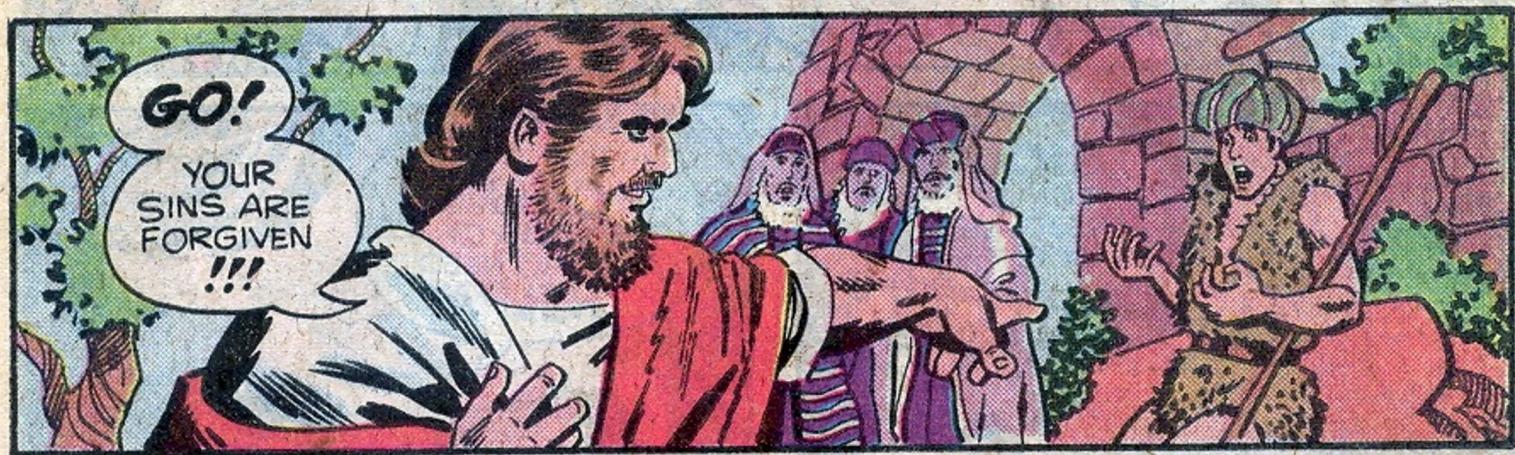
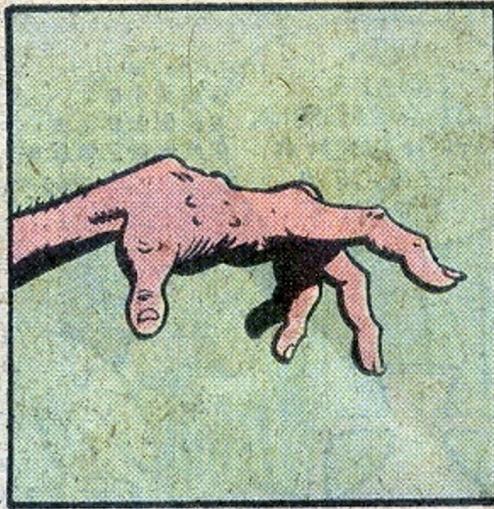
AND
TWO
FISH
!!!

BUT
THERE ARE
**FIVE
THOUSAND**
PEOPLE !

BRING
THE FOOD
TO ME !

AND WE
WILL GIVE
THANKS
!!!



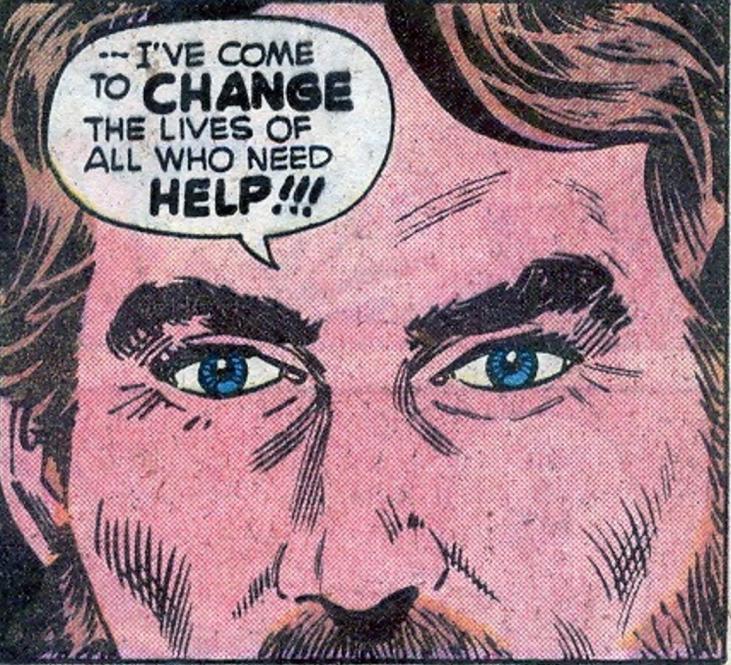




HOW
CAN HE
EAT AND DRINK
WITH SUCH A
DEVIL OF A
MAN?



SICK
PEOPLE
NEED A
DOCTOR--

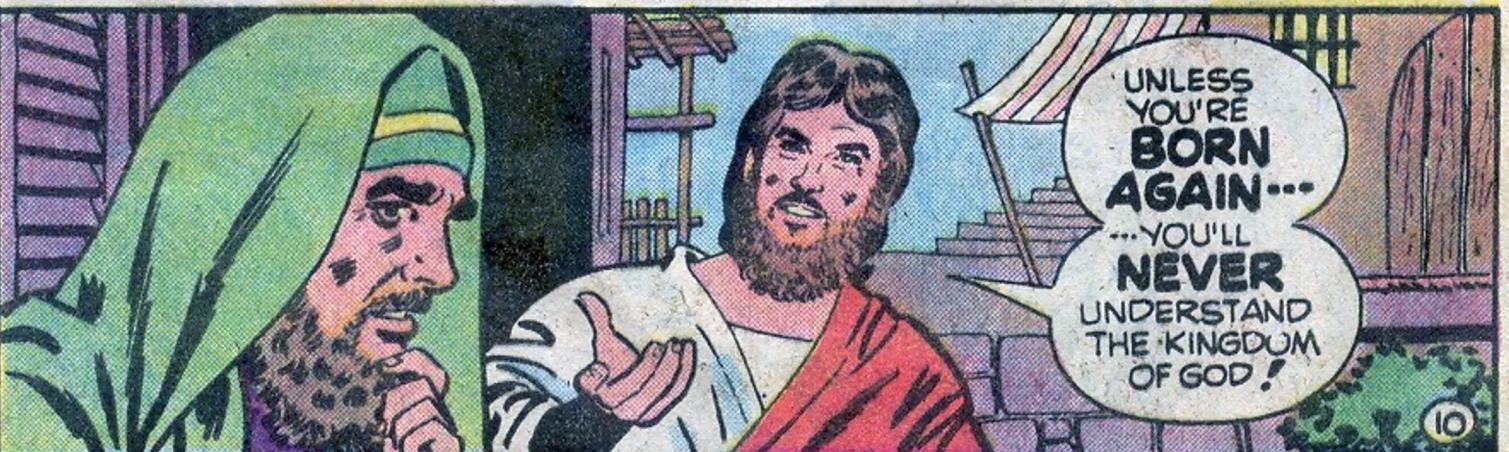


--I'VE COME
TO **CHANGE**
THE LIVES OF
ALL WHO NEED
HELP!!!



SIR, I
BELIEVE
GOD SENT
YOU--

...BUT
I CAN'T
UNDERSTAND
ALL YOU SAY
AND DO!



UNLESS
YOU'RE
BORN AGAIN...
...YOU'LL
NEVER
UNDERSTAND
THE KINGDOM
OF GOD!

BUT
HOW
CAN I
BE BORN
AGAIN AT
MY
AGE
???

I
SPEAK
OF YOUR
SPIRITUAL
LIFE,
NICODEMUS
!!!

YOU'VE
ALREADY HAD A
PHYSICAL
BIRTH---
---NOW YOU
NEED A
SPIRITUAL
BIRTH!

THAT'S
WHY GOD SENT
ME---

I
BRING HIS
LOVE!

AND ALL WHO
BELIEVE IN ME
SHALL NOT PERISH,
BUT HAVE
ETERNAL LIFE
!!!

YOU
HAVE BROUGHT
LIGHT
INTO THIS
WORLD !!!



BUT THE
WORLD PREFERS
DARKNESS
!!!



I'VE
SHOWN
YOU MANY
MIRACLES---
---FOR
WHICH
ONE DO YOU
STONE
ME ?



FOR
NONE
OF THEM !
BUT
BECAUSE
YOU **CLAIM** TO
BE GOD !



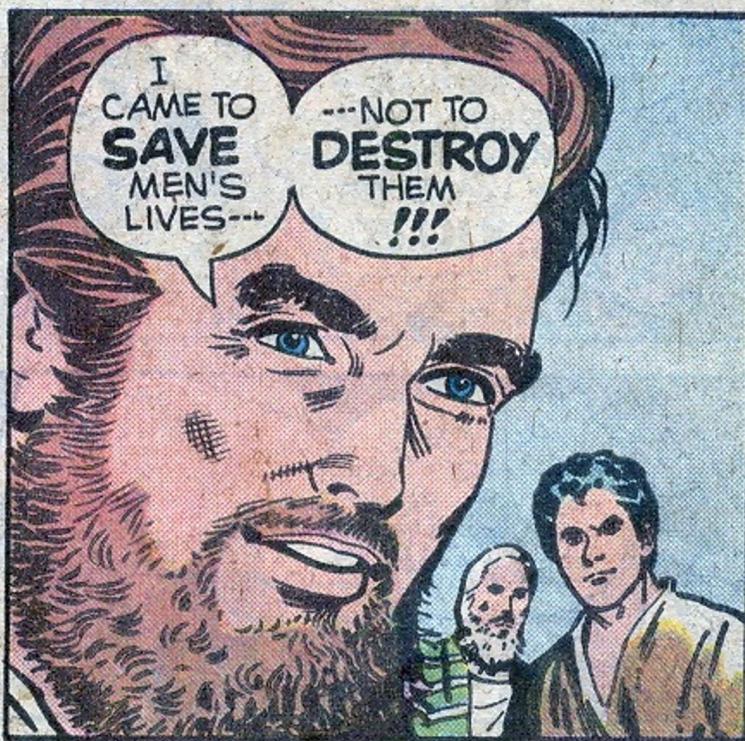
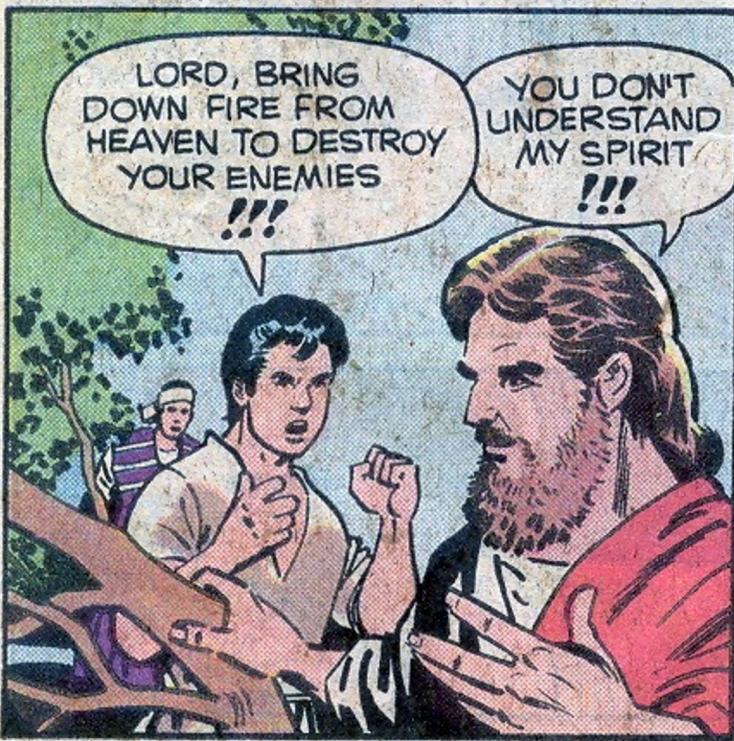
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MIRACLES
IF YOU DON'T
BELIEVE
ME !

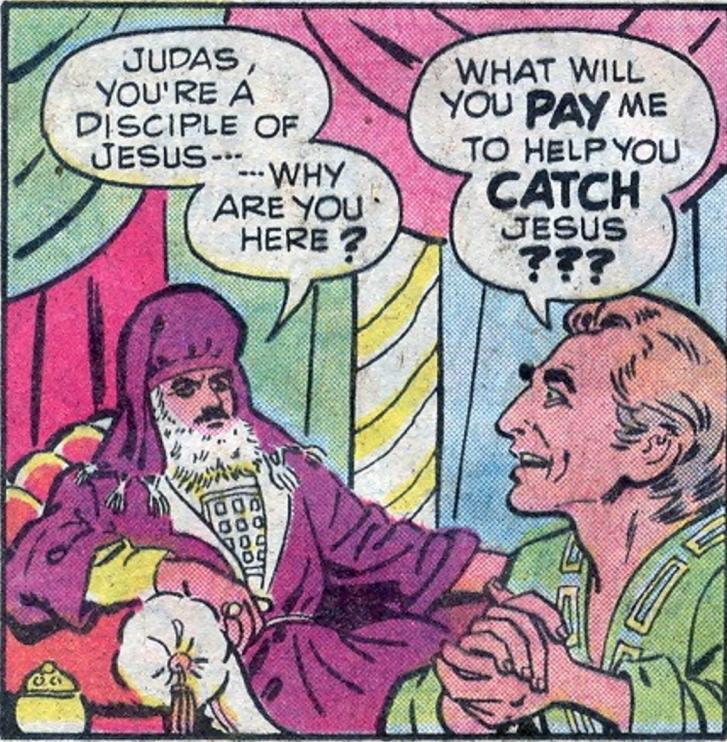
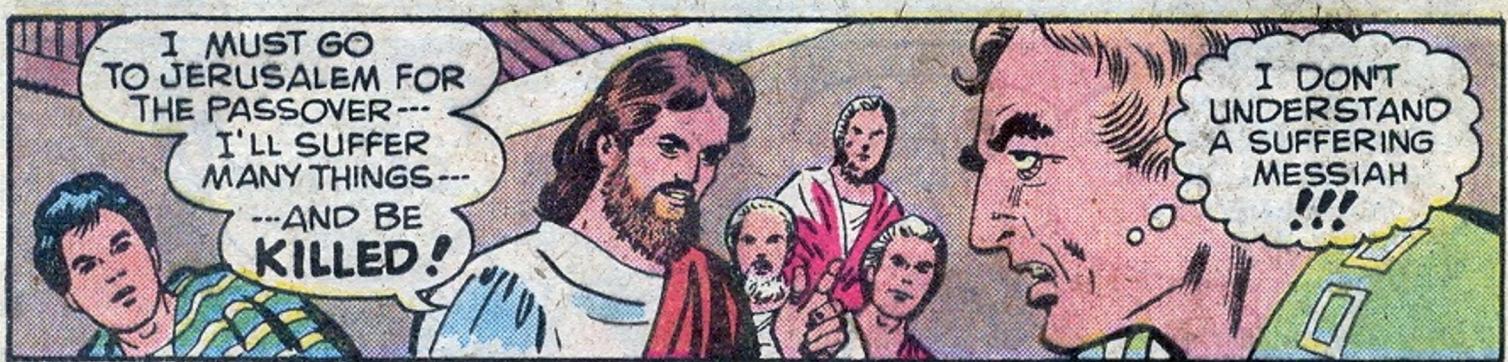


THEN
YOU WILL
SEE
THAT THE
FATHER AND
I ARE
ONE !!!

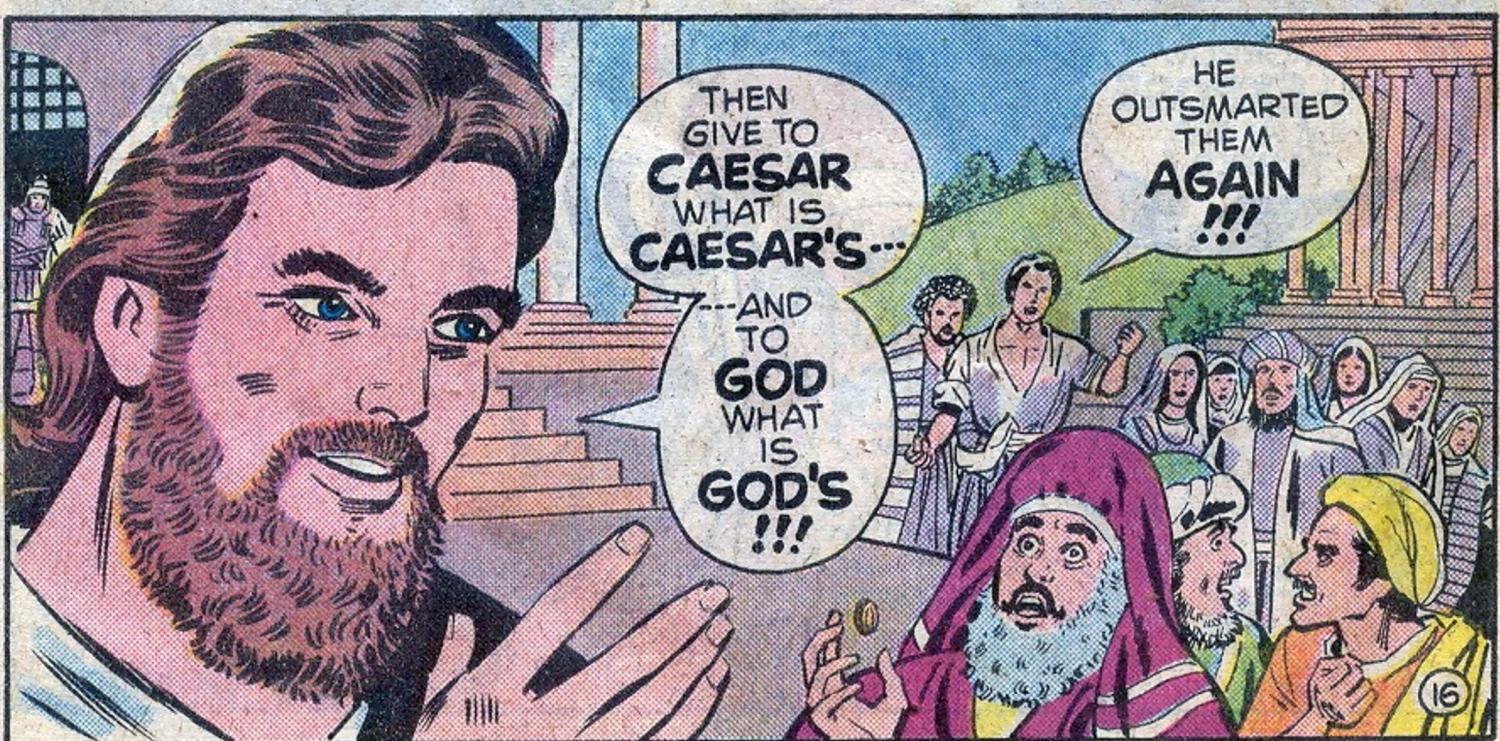


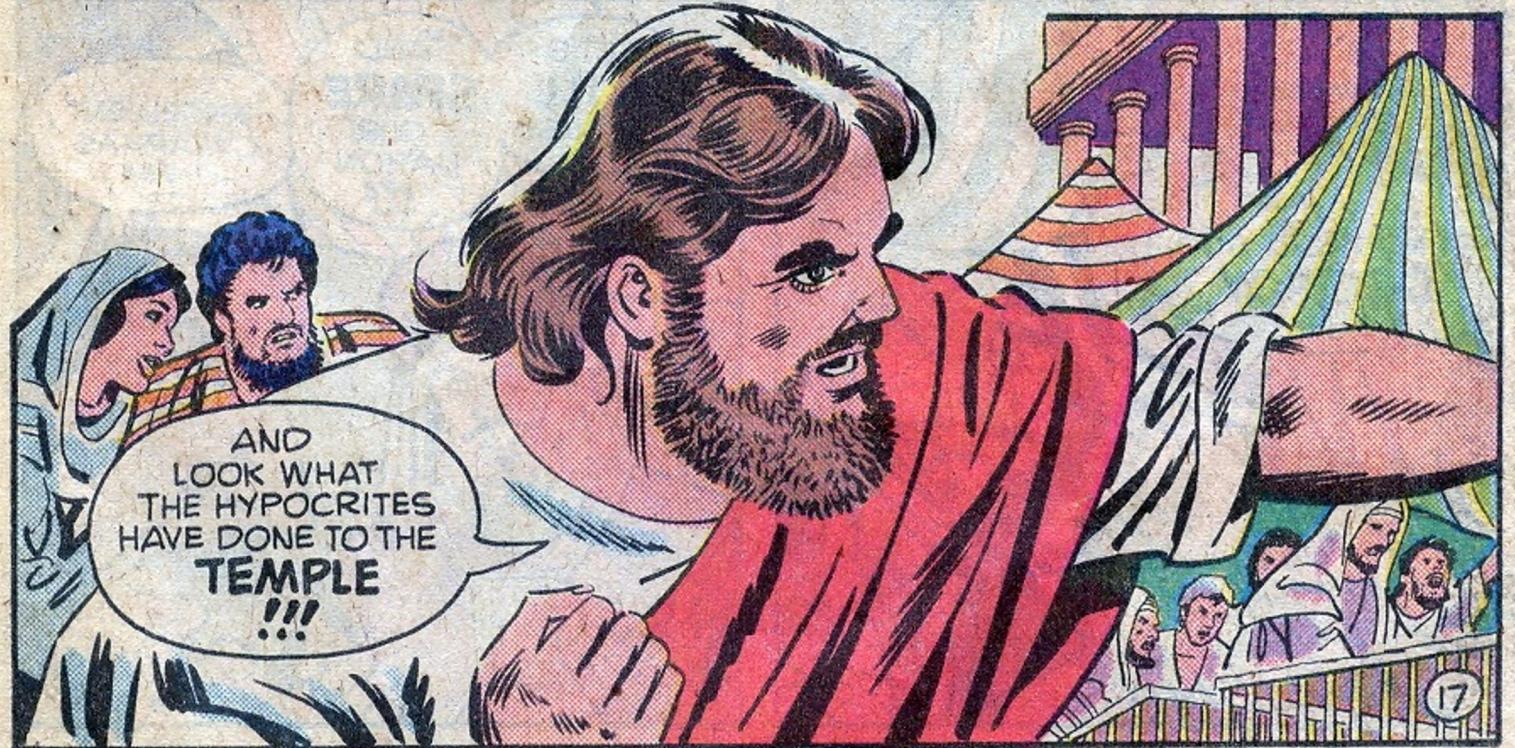
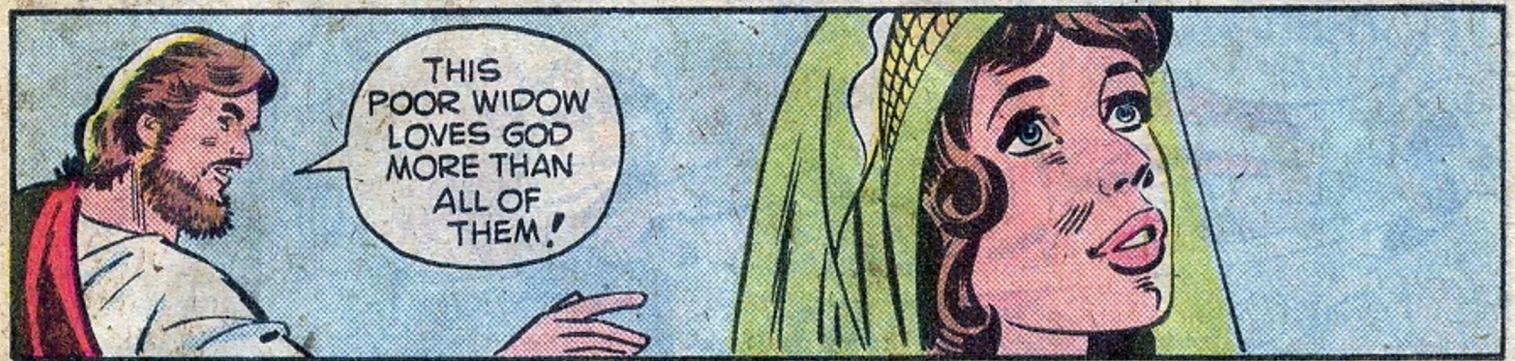
YOU
LIE
!!!

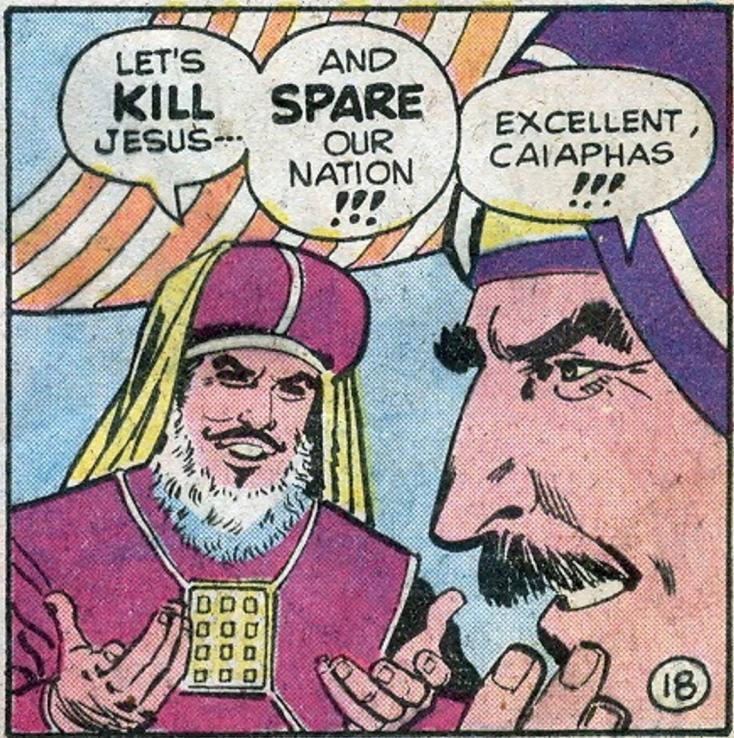
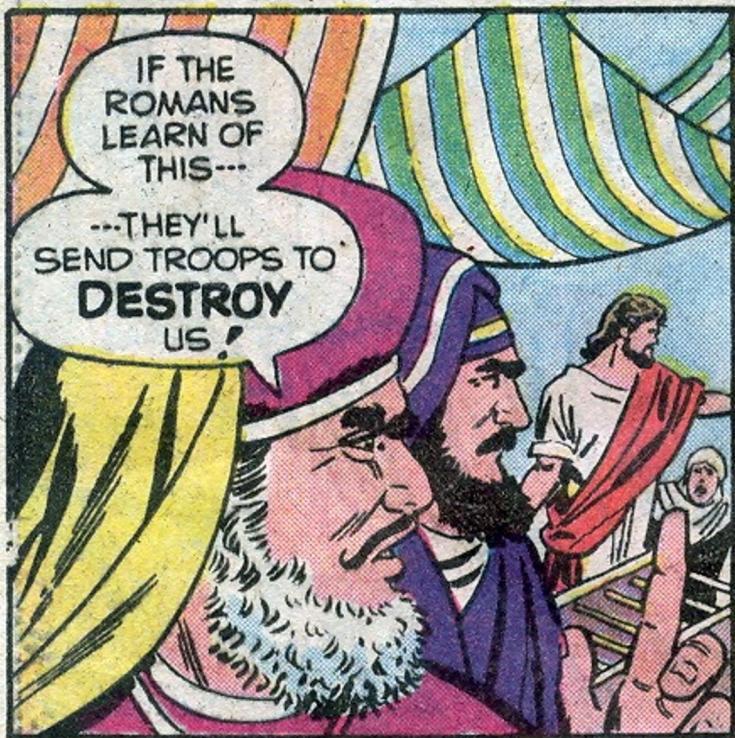












THE TIME
HAS COME
FOR ME TO
RETURN TO MY
FATHER IN
HEAVEN
!!!

NO,
LORD
!!!

YOU'VE
COME TO
SET US
FREE
!!!

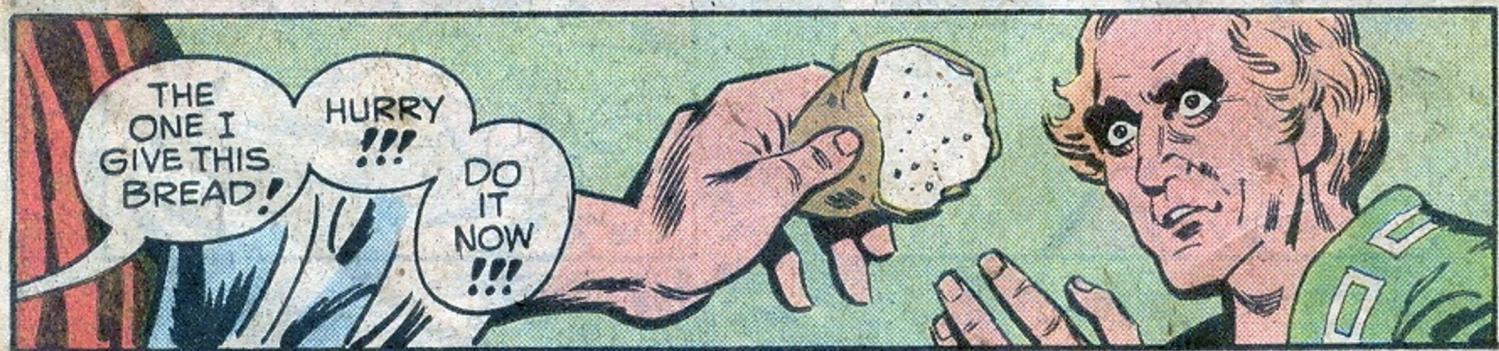
UNLESS A KERNEL OF
WHEAT FALLS TO THE GROUND
AND DIES, IT REMAINS A
SINGLE SEED!

BUT
IF IT
DIES, IT
PRODUCES
**MANY
SEEDS**
!!!

BUT
YOU
WILL
NEVER
DIE!

MY
LIGHT WILL
SHINE OUT
FOR YOU A
LITTLE
WHILE
LONGER--

THEN
I WILL
LIGHT UP
YOUR
LIVES
!!!



THIS
BREAD
REPRESENTS
MY BODY...
---BROKEN
FOR YOU---
---EAT!



DRINK!

THIS CUP
IS A TOKEN
OF GOD'S PROMISE
TO WASH AWAY
YOUR SINS
WITH MY
BLOOD!

DO
THIS
OFTEN...
AND REMEMBER
ME!
THIS
IS WHY I
CAME...
TO
DIE...
THAT
YOU
MIGHT BE
TRULY
FREE!

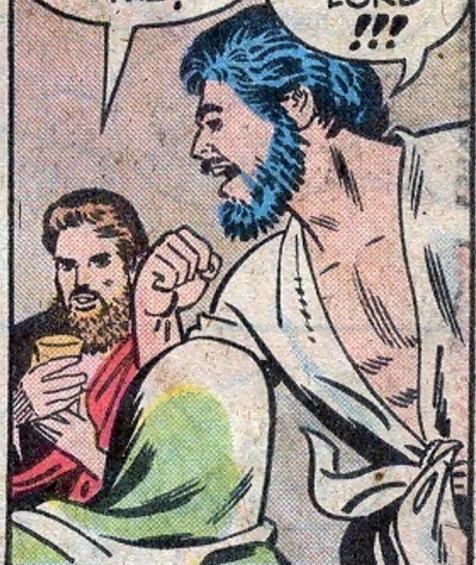


AND NOW--

ALL THAT HAS
BEEN WRITTEN
WILL COME TO
PASS !!!

TONIGHT,
YOU WILL
ALL DESERT
ME!

I
NEVER
WILL,
LORD
!!!



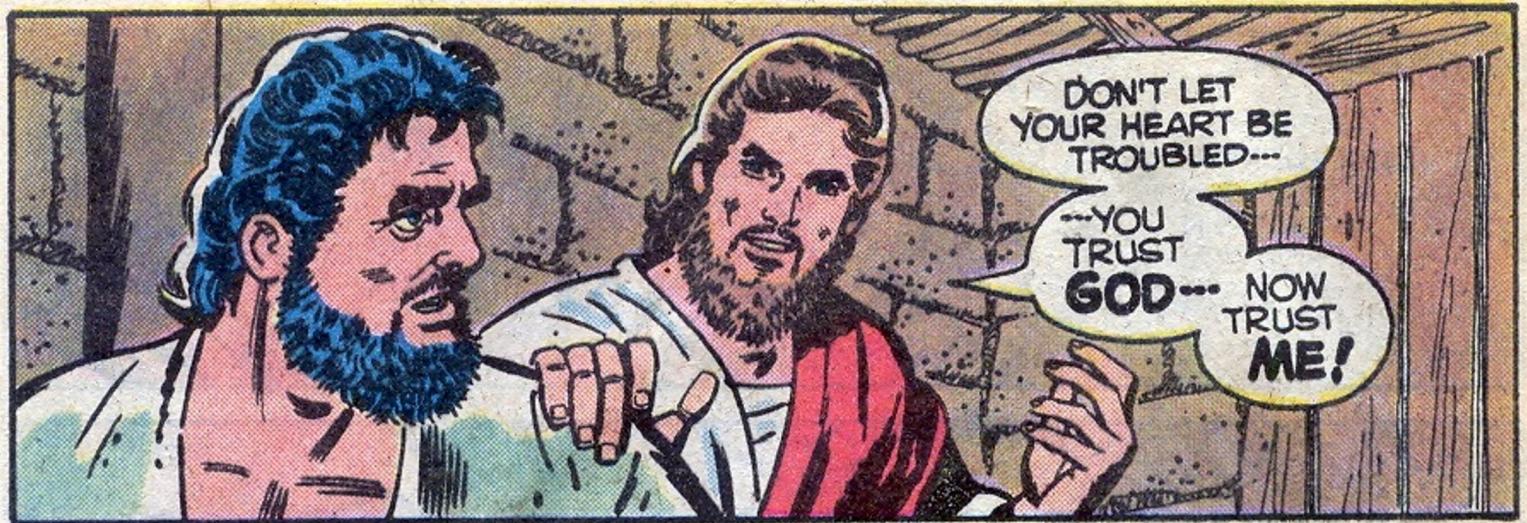
PETER,
BEFORE THE
ROOSTER
CROWS---

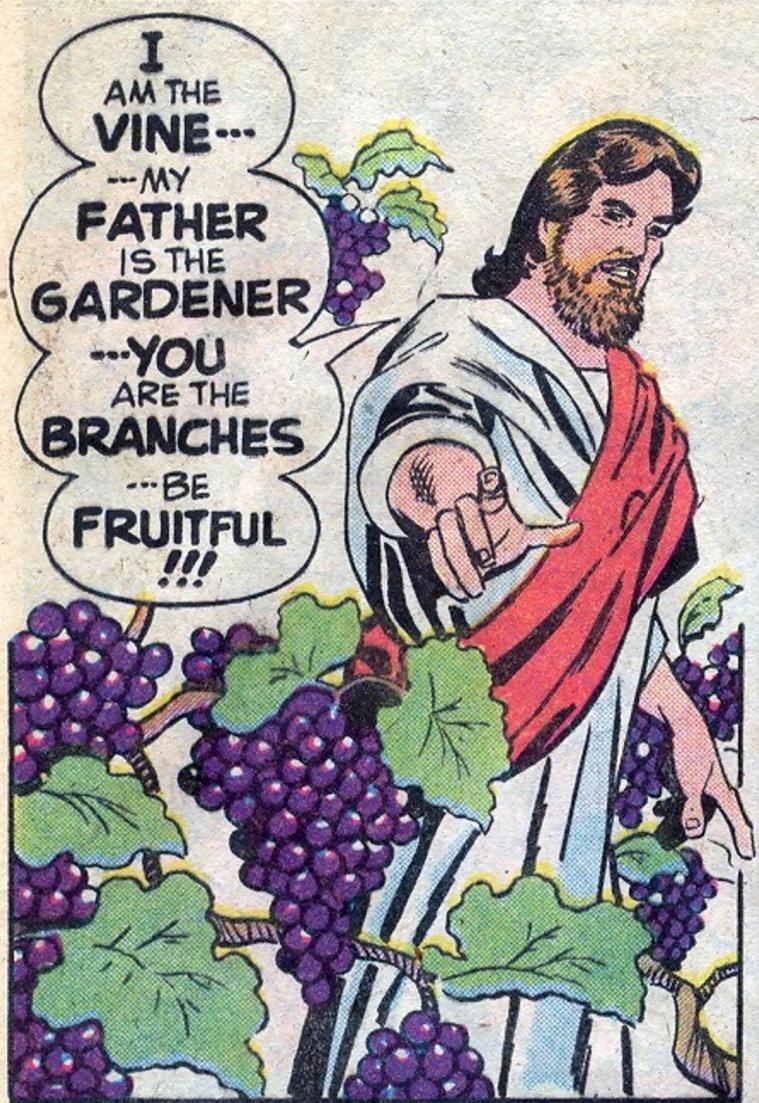
YOU
WILL DENY
ME THREE
TIMES !!!

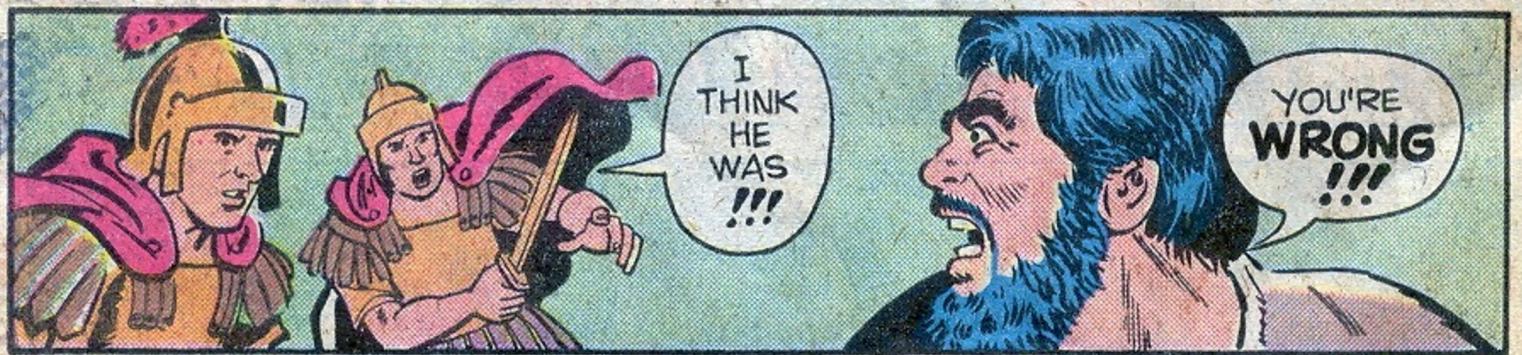
DOES
HE KNOW
ME BETTER---

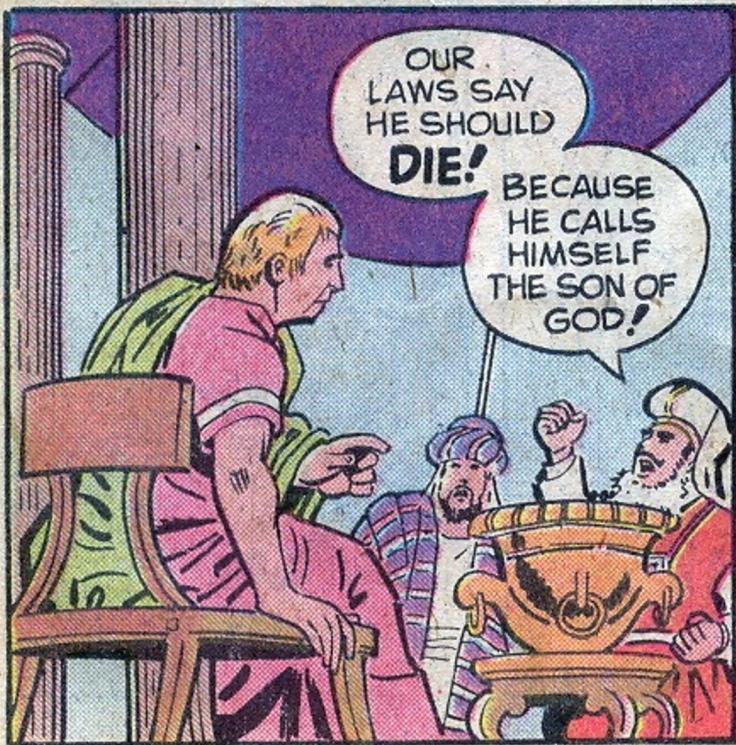
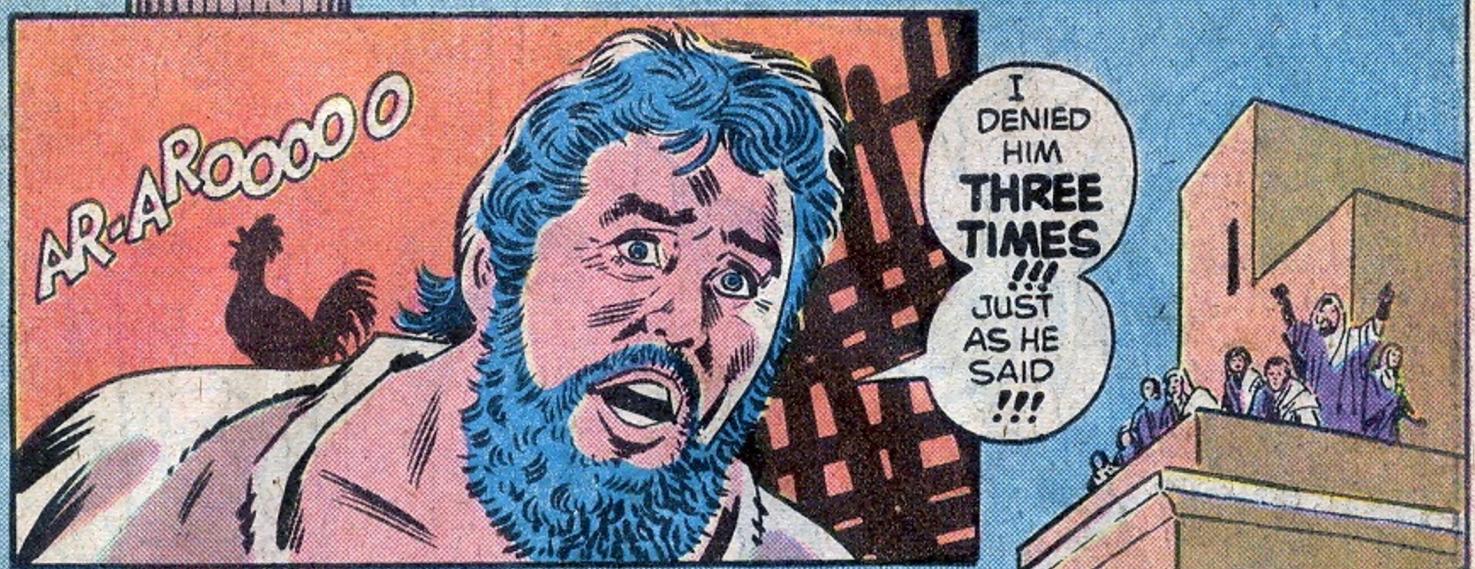
--THAN
I KNOW
MYSELF
???

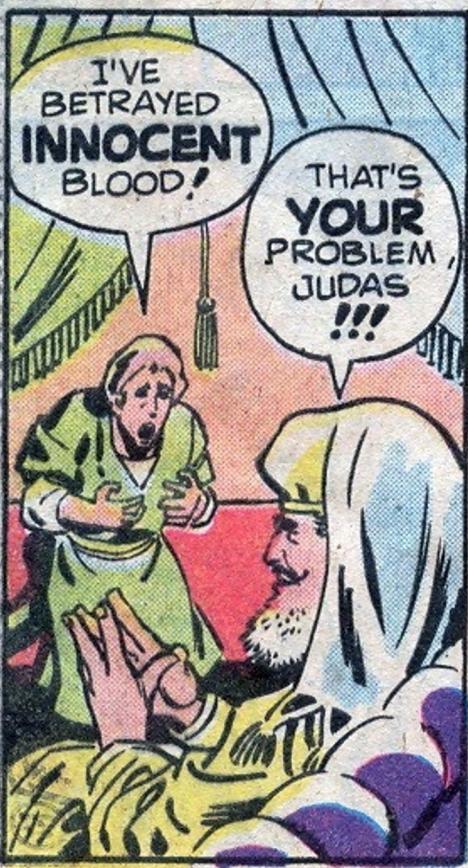
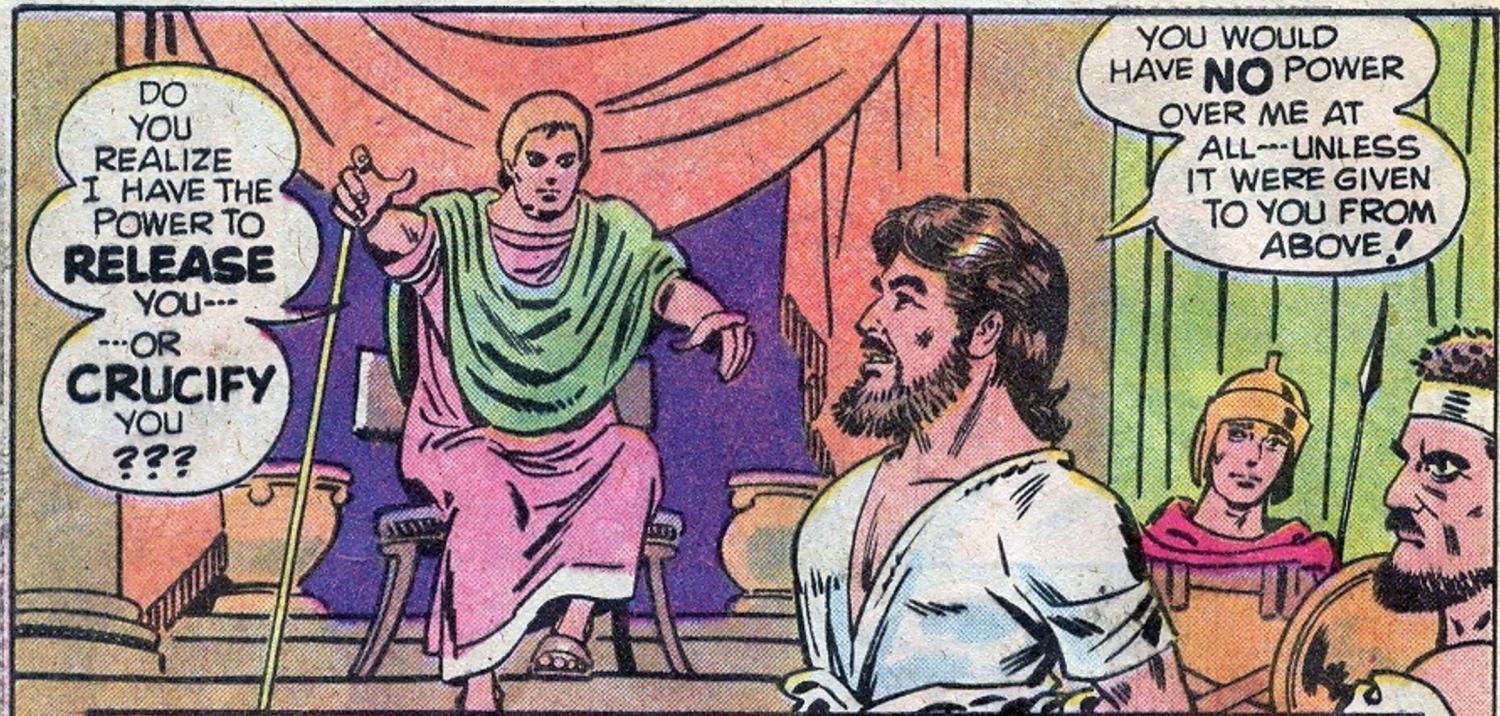


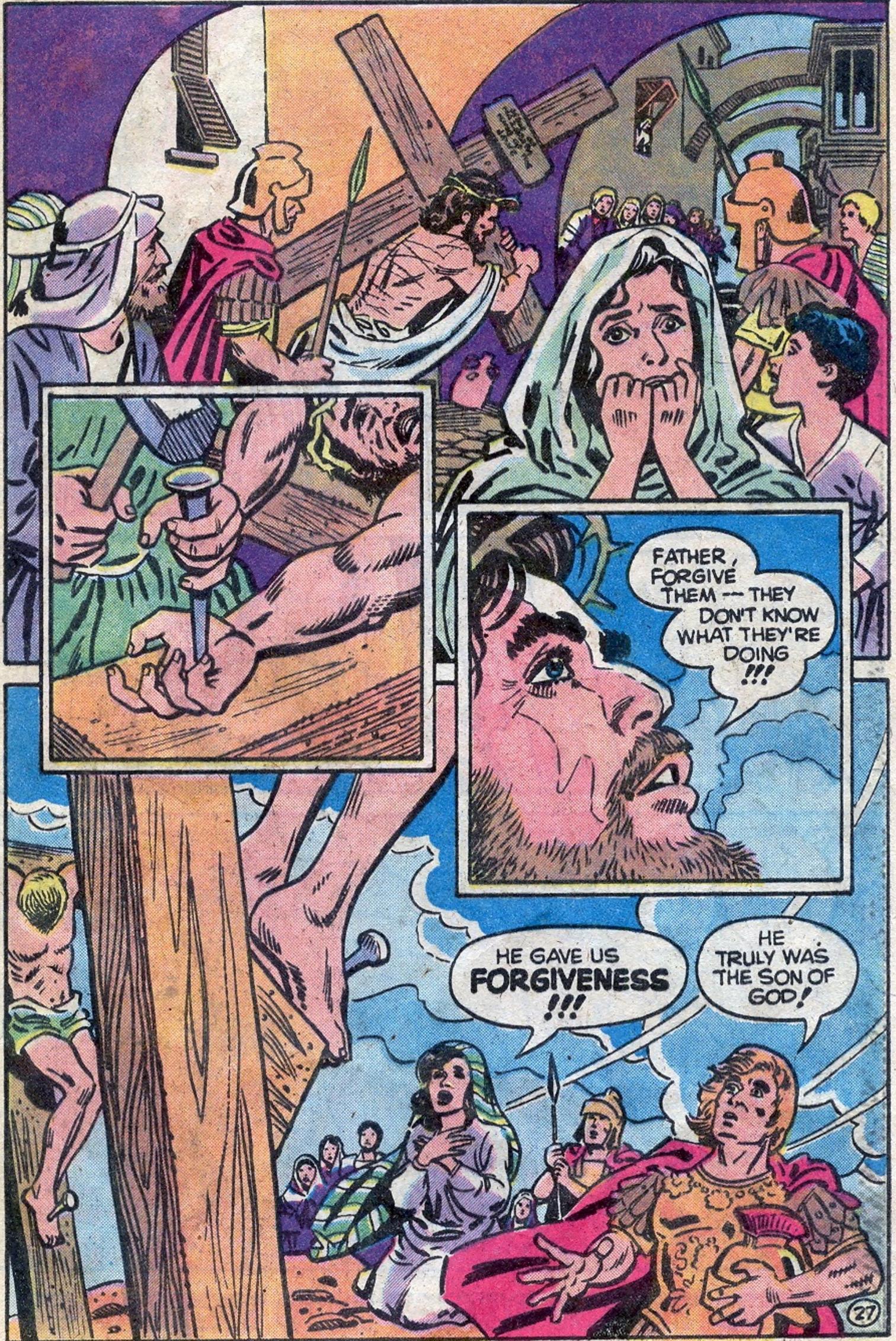


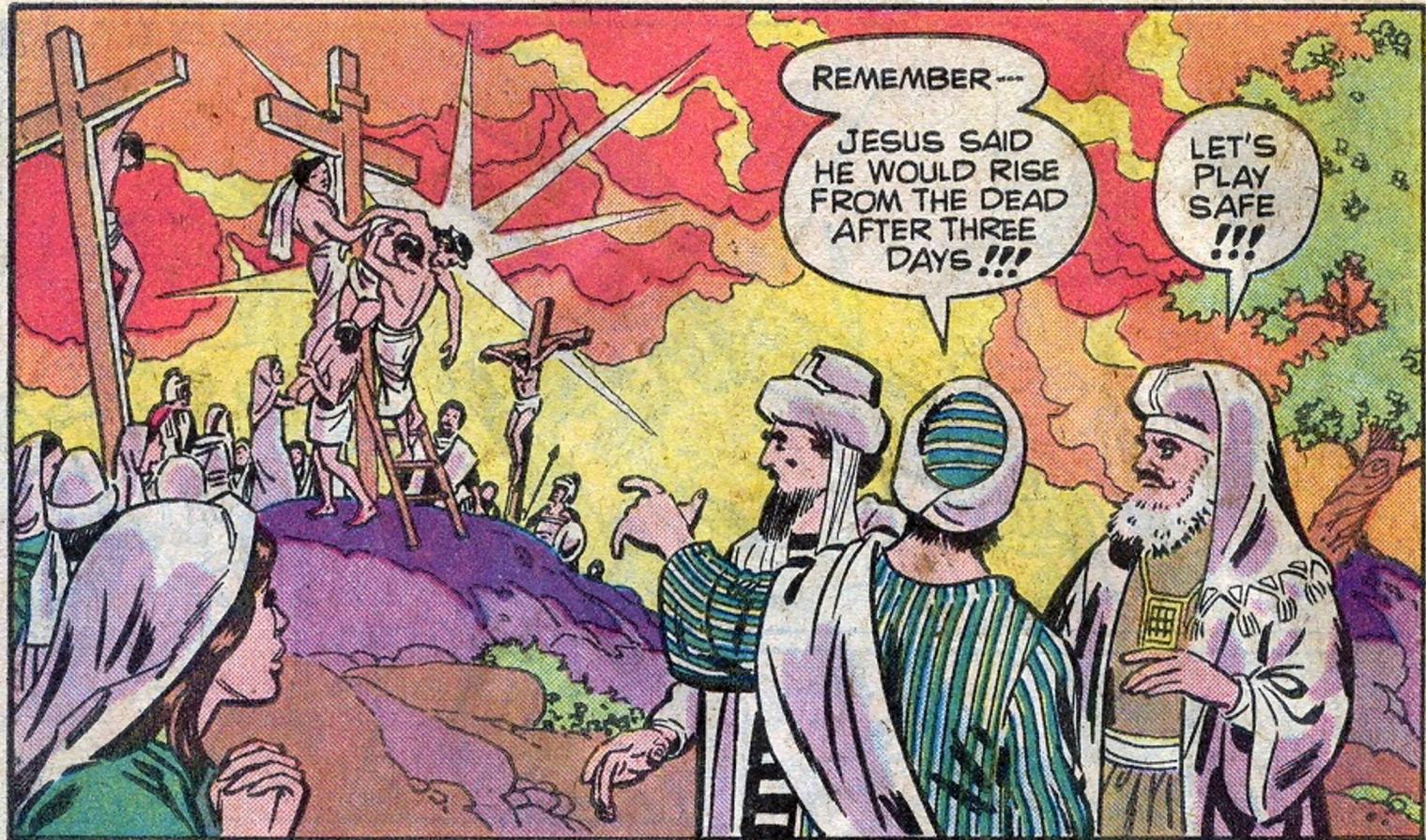








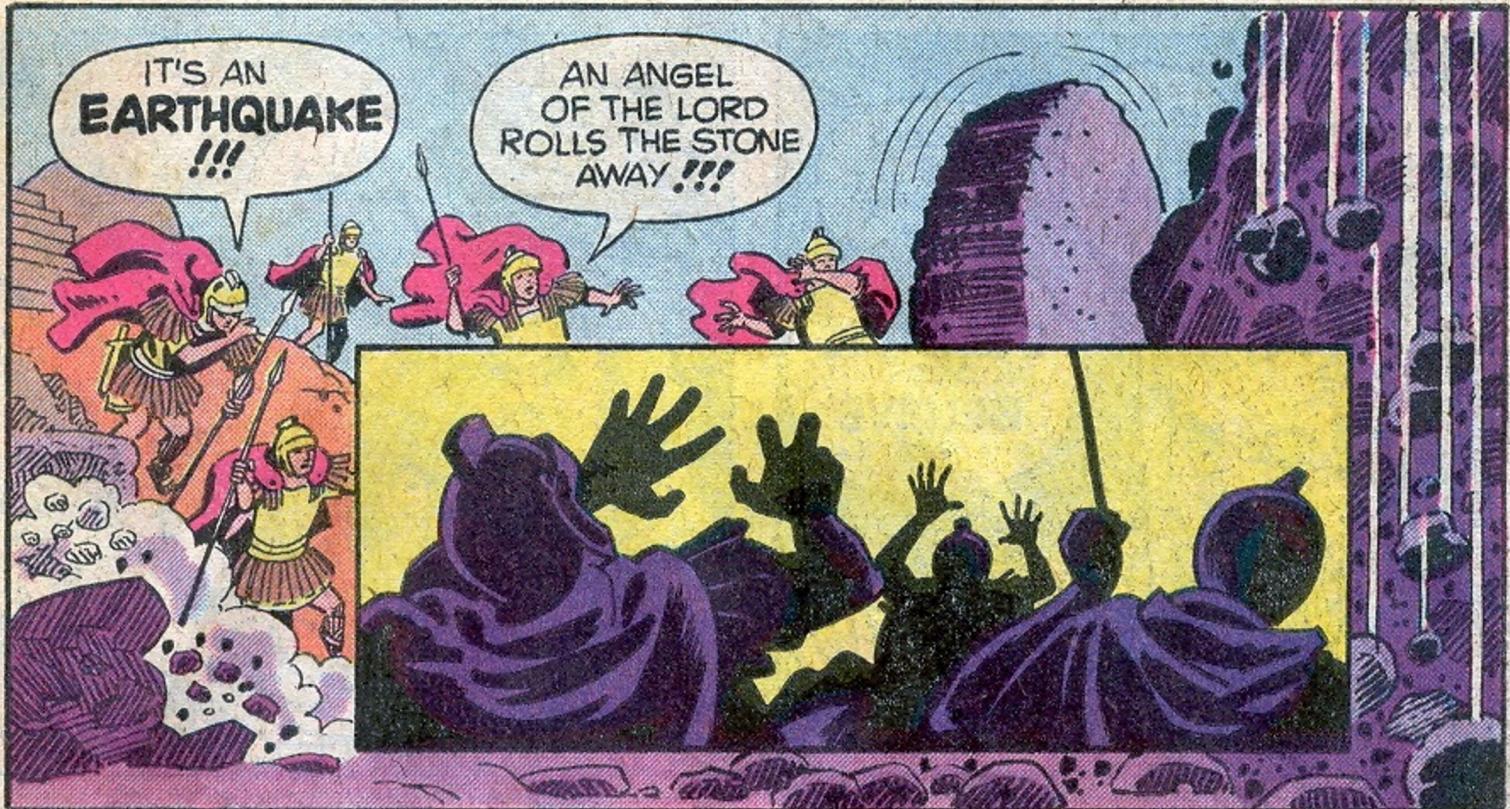




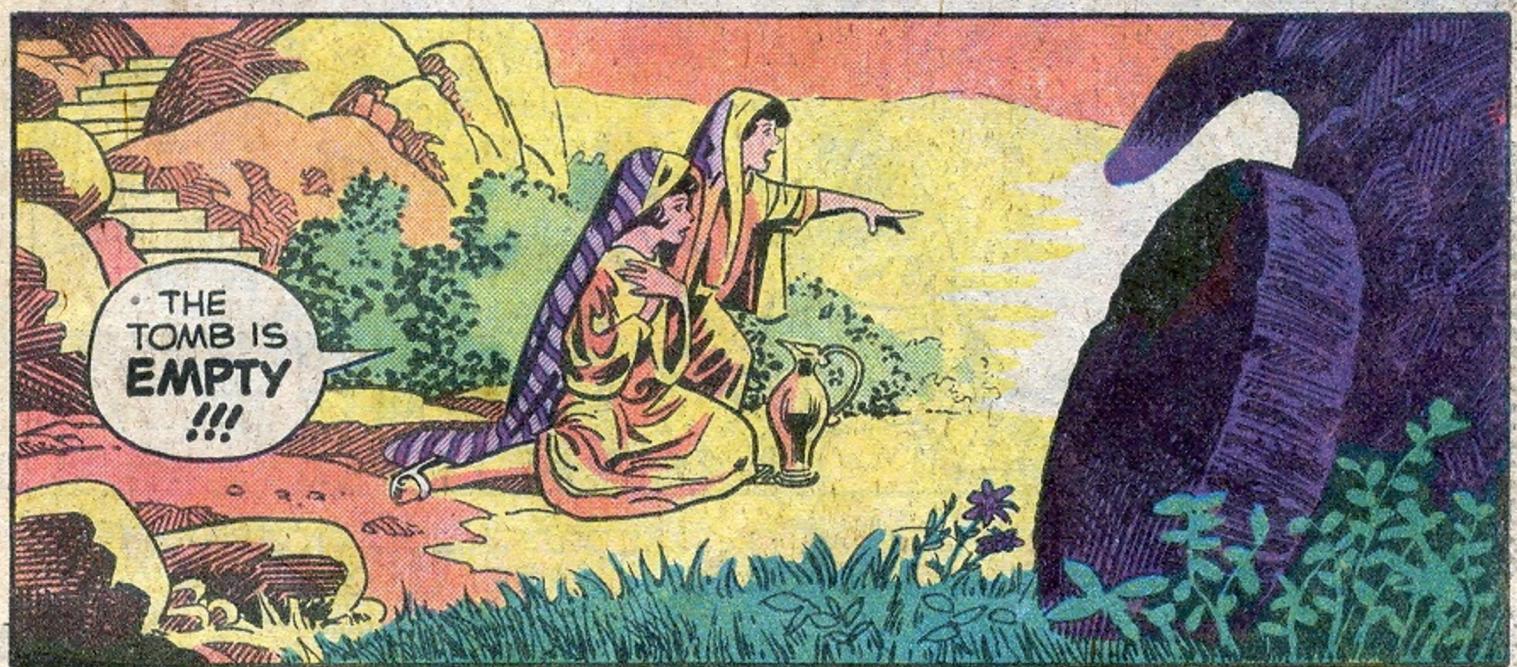
JESUS TURNS DEFEAT INTO VICTORY !!!

IT'S AN
EARTHQUAKE
!!!

AN ANGEL
OF THE LORD
ROLLS THE STONE
AWAY !!!



THE
TOMB IS
EMPTY
!!!

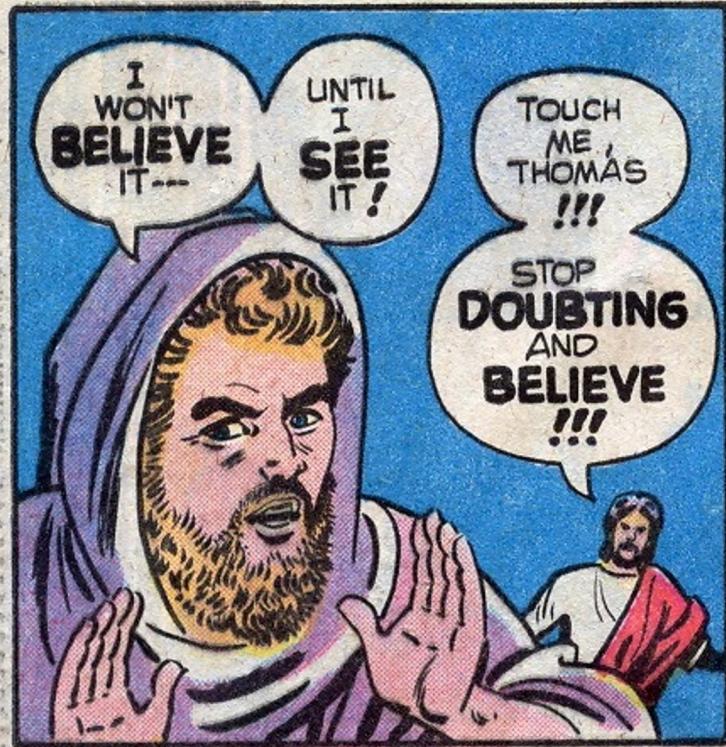


JESUS
IS
ALIVE
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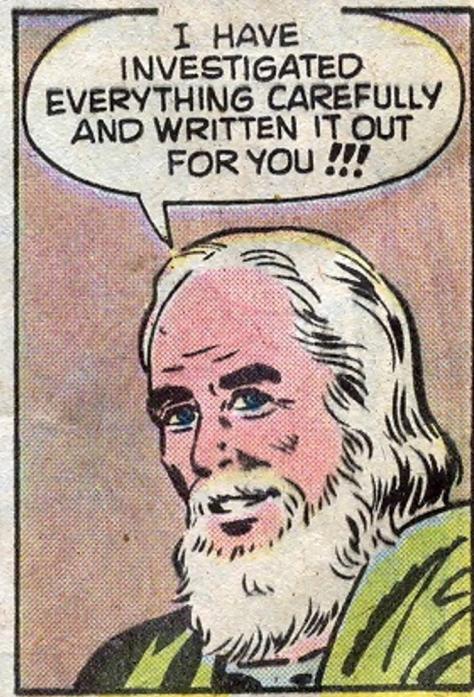
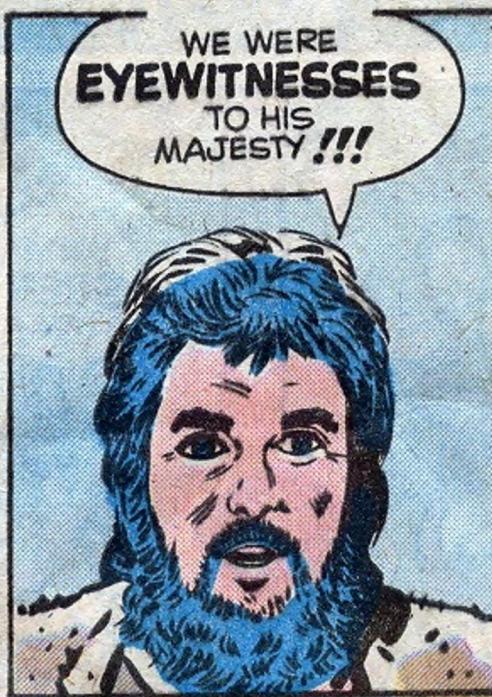
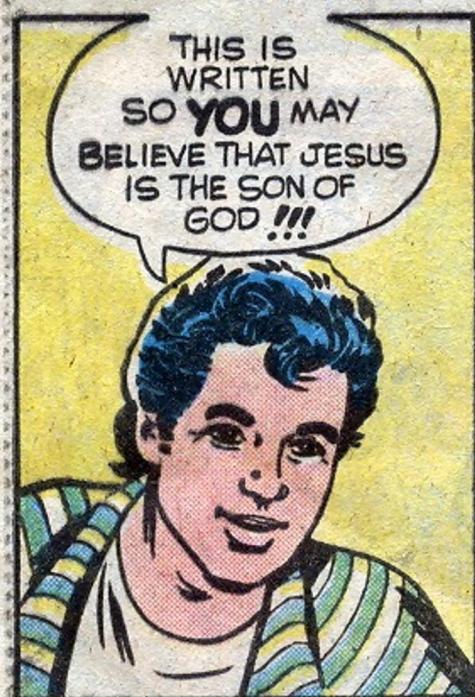
YES!
WE'VE
SEEN
HIM!

HUNDREDS
OF OTHERS
HAVE, TOO
!!!





THE BIBLE TELLS THE TRUTH!



JOHN
SEE JOHN 20:31

PETER
SEE 2 PETER 1:16

LUKE
SEE LUKE 1:3
(30)

JESUS
RETURNED TO
HEAVEN ---

-- AND ALL
HIS PROMISES
CAME TRUE!

THE HOLY SPIRIT
FILLED HIS FOLLOWERS
WITH THE **POWER**
OF GOD!!!

AND THEN THEY DID
AS JESUS TOLD THEM!

THEY
PREACHED
THE
GOSPEL!

FED THE
HUNGRY!

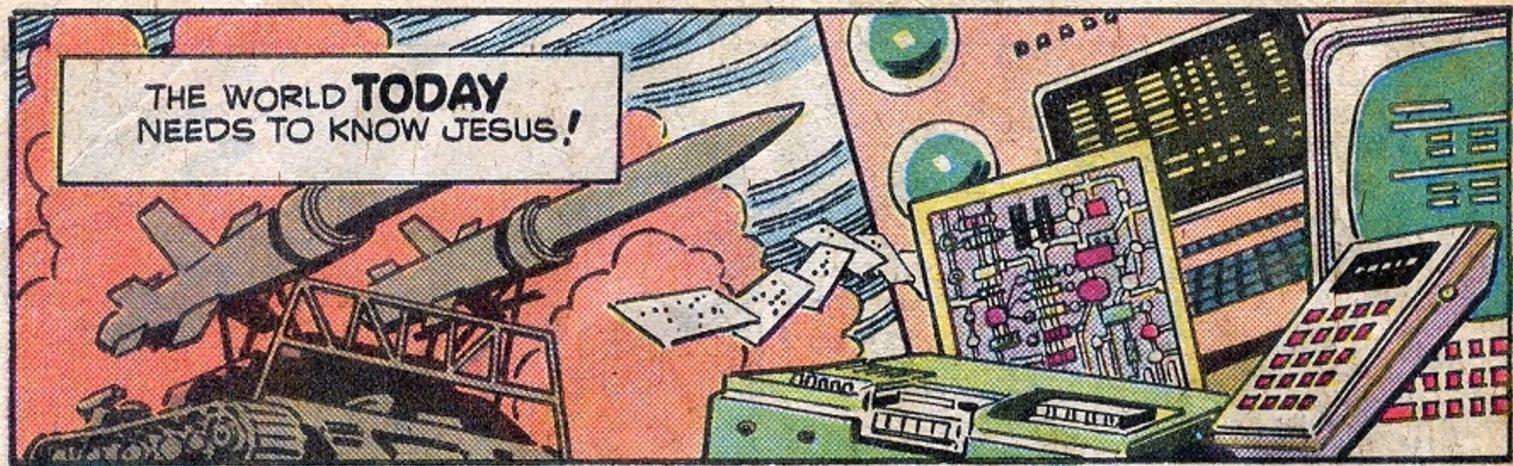
CARED
FOR THE
SICK!

HELPED
THE
NEEDY!

THE WORLD KNEW
THEY WERE CHRISTIANS
BY THEIR LOVE!

AND THE
WORLD WAS
CHANGED!

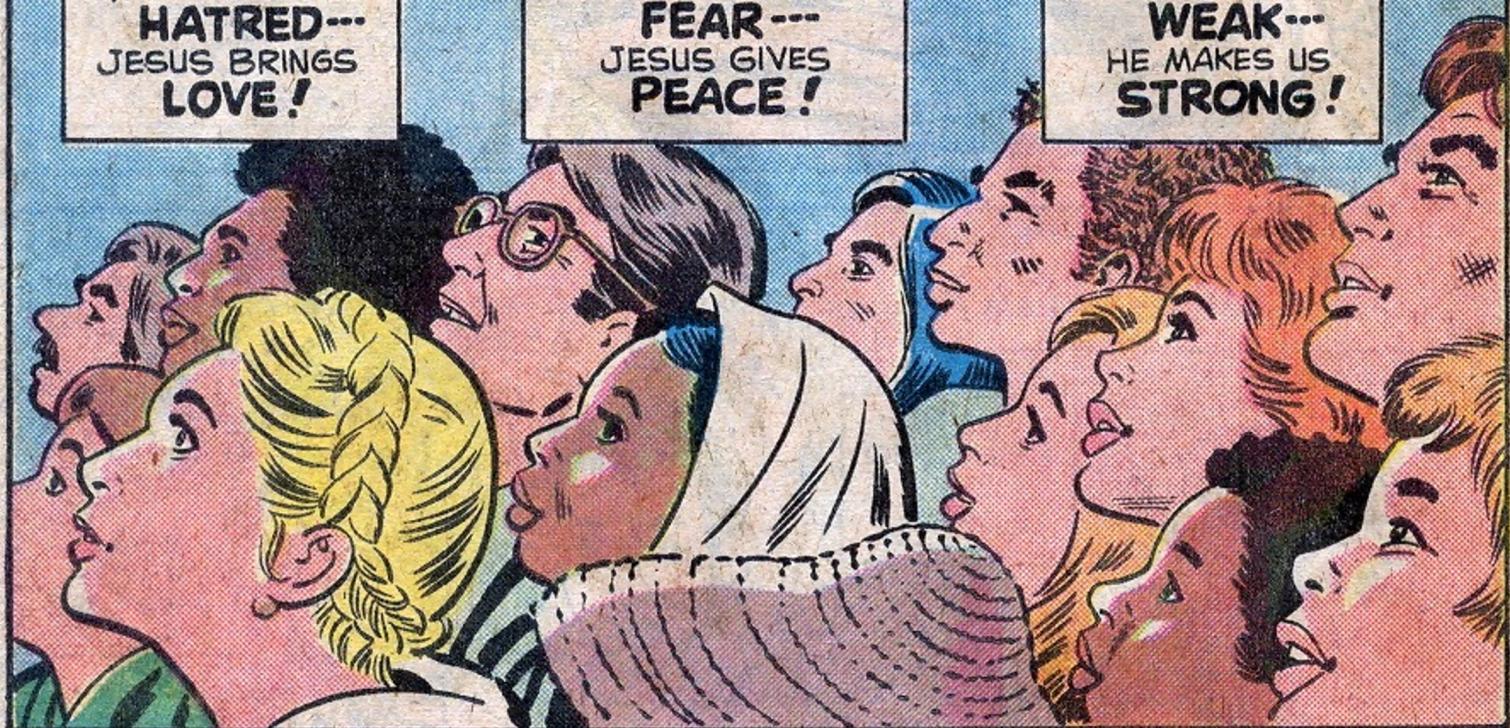
THE WORLD **TODAY**
NEEDS TO KNOW JESUS!



WHERE THERE'S
HATRED...
JESUS BRINGS
LOVE!

WHERE THERE'S
FEAR...
JESUS GIVES
PEACE!

WHEN WE'RE
WEAK...
HE MAKES US
STRONG!



JESUS **LOVES** YOU! HE WANTS TO SHARE **LIFE** WITH YOU!

WILL
YOU ACCEPT
JESUS RIGHT
NOW?

JUST
PRAY THIS
PRAYER...

HE'LL
HEAR
YOU!

LORD JESUS, COME
INTO MY HEART!
PLEASE FORGIVE ME
AND CHANGE ME!
I WANT YOU TO BE
LORD OF MY LIFE!
PLEASE HELP ME
TO TRUST YOU!

FOR GOD LOVES THE WORLD SO MUCH, THAT HE GAVE HIS
ONLY SON, SO THAT ANYONE WHO BELIEVES IN HIM SHALL
NOT PERISH, BUT HAVE ETERNAL LIFE!

SEE JOHN 3:16

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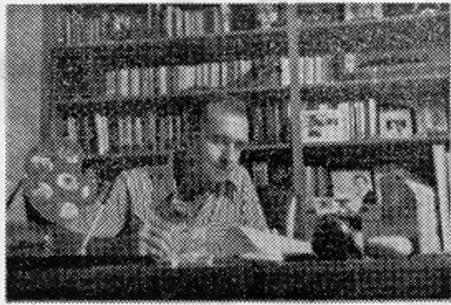


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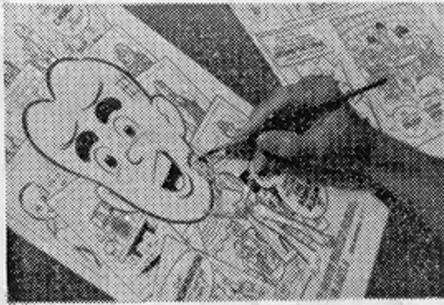
AND HIS GRANDSON !



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THE WRITING !



THE ART !

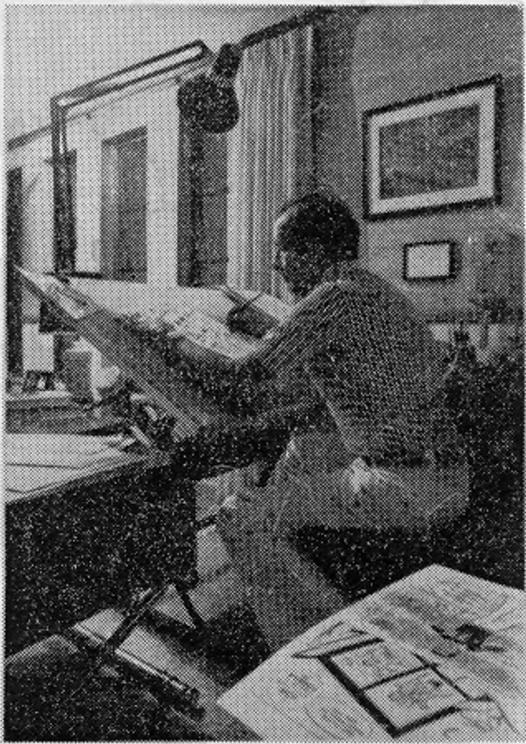
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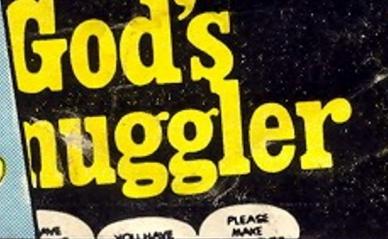
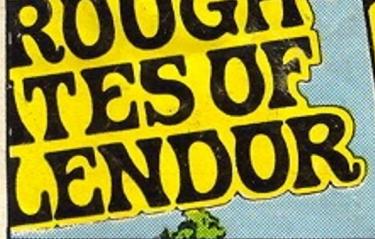
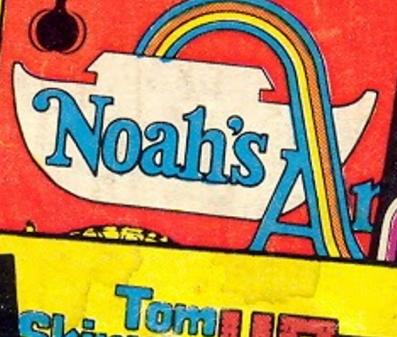
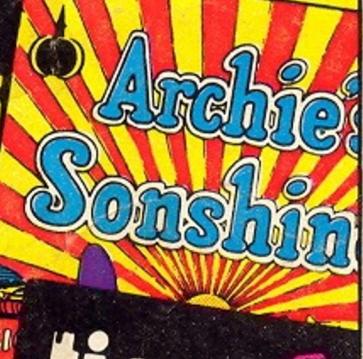
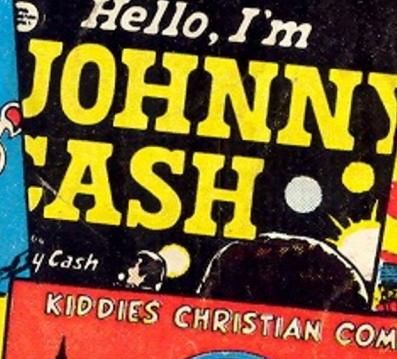
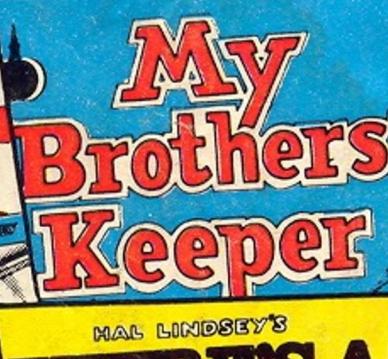
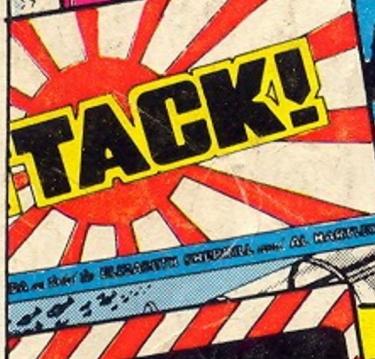
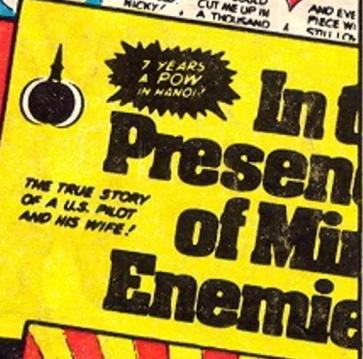
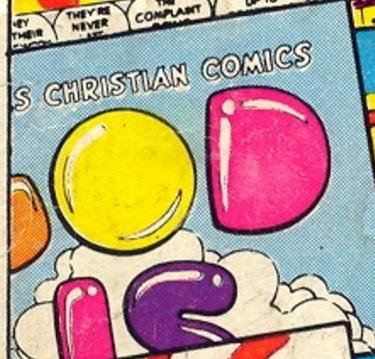
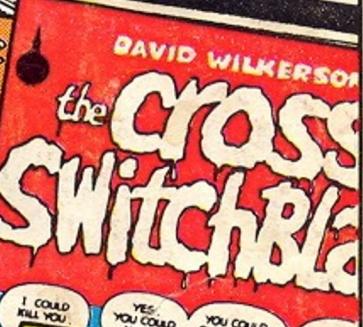
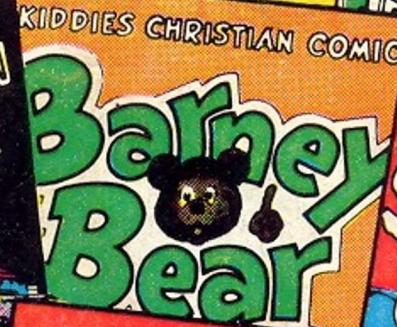
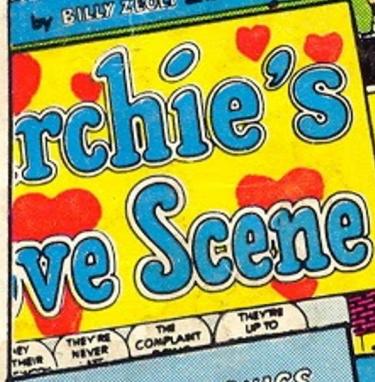
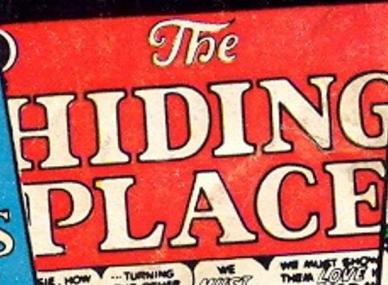
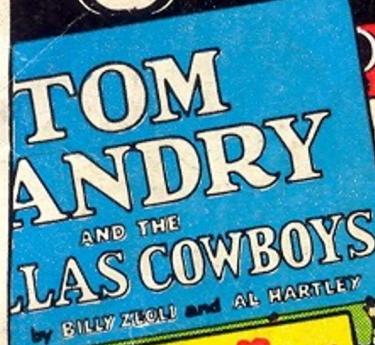
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